LEGISLATURE OF NORTH CAROLINA

The Scales Bill Reported Favorably and Then Recommitted.

NO REWARD FOR BYNUM

J. H. Alford Left Interest in His Business to His Partners, One of Whom Was His Slayer.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) RALEIGH, N. C., January 7.—In the Sonate to-day the Committee on Salaries and Fees reported favorably the bill by Scales to allow the Governor \$1,000 extra for traveling expenses, but with the request of Scales, it was recommitted on account of Governor Glenn's telegram last night that he did not desire any in-

Scales said the people of the State, he was sure, favored both the \$1,000 traveling expenses and the regular increases from \$1.00 traveling expenses and the regular increases from \$1.00 to \$5.00 proposed by the regular bill as well, but under the circumstances both would probably be withdrawn. Its thought Governor Glein had made a mistake in opposing the bills. Notable bills introduced in the House were:

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By McNinch, of Mecklenburg: To reform the divorced wis in compliance with the demands of religious bodies.

Little, of Pitt. To pay solicitors of districts salaries instead of fees.

Murphy, of Rowan: To prevent the fraudulent sales of merchandise in hulk.

The bill pending for the repeal of the anti-jug law was taken from the Judiciary Committee and re-referred to Committee on the Regulation of the Liquor Traffic, who will give a hearing soon.

The Anti-Saloon League, it is understood, will acquiesce in its repeal, inasimch as it was sneaked through the last Legislature, but will insist on the cancernance of another like it in regular order.

NO REWARD.

Gyernor Aycock has declined to pay the reward that was offered by the State for the arrest of Raymond D, Bynum, the nunderer of J. H. Alford, on the ground that no sheriff is entitled to a reward, and that the man Benton, by when the arrest was made, was really a member of a sheriff is posse that was houting for the fugitive. Sheriff Riddick, of Gauts, who brought Bynum here, insists that this was not the case, and application is to be made lador of Governor Glenn for the reward.

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The North Carolina Grand Lodge of Masons convenes here Tuesday. During the session all details will be perfected for the work on the \$10,000 temple to begin as early in the spring as the weather conditions will admit. W. S. Liddell, of Charlotte, is grand master.

A GOODLY CHECK.

The board of managers of the Ruleigh dispensary paid to the Board of Aldermen last night a check for \$20,000, representing the city's share in the profits for the past quarter. The total receipts for the quarter were \$77,128,75.

The Agricultural and Mechanical College is to construct on Pullen Park a fine Aldermon of the city. Three thousand dollars will be expended, and one of the finest base-ball and foot-boll parks in the country will be extablished.

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The will of J. H. Alford, who was shot and killed by his business partner, Raymond D. Bynum, has been probated, disposing of an estate valued at about \$5,000. Mrs. Robert E. Batkins, of Richmond, is one of the beneficiaries, receiving \$500, who is a widow of Alford's wife's brother. He leaves his interest in the firm of Alford, Bynum and Christerphers to the two members of the firm, one of whom was his slayer.

NEW RESIDENCE.

During a meeting here the executive committee of the University of North Carolina authorized the erection of a residence for the president and called a general meeting of the board of directors for January 26th.

The treasurer of the Wiley Monument Fund is receiving almost every day remittances of midney that was raised in the public schools during the recent celebration of North Carolina. The Wake county Board of Education has just apportioned \$57,195 for the public schools with an North Carolina.

The Wake county Board of Education has just apportioned \$57,195 for the public schools of the county, this being \$21,000 more than was available last year. Wake is the only county that has eight months school in all sections of the county.

SOUTH HILL, VA.

Building Going Ahead With the New Year-Late Acquisitions.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
SOUTH HILL, VA., January 7.—the
cool weather has kept the farmers from
bringing in much tobacco, but those who
have sold during the last few days received good prices, and have been
pleased.

Mr. M. P. Andrews, contractor and builder, of Hampton, Va., who has been engaged in creeting a number of buildings during the past year, has several buildings under course of construction, and has started in with a large force of carpenters and bricklayers. Mr. Andrews will soon complete a handsome new drugstore on Mecklenburg Avenue, which will be occupied by Mr. Charles E. Friend, of Manchester. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Friend will move to South Hill as soon as the store is ready for husiness. Mr. and Mrs. Friend, who are charming people, will be quite an acquisition to the social life of the town.

Mr. Edward Schaefer has sold to J. P. Joyce and sons, of Wisconsin, a number engaged in erecting a number of build-

All, Edward Schaffer has sone to J. r., Joyce and sons, of Wisconsin, a number of tracts of timber land, and they will engage in saw-milling with headquarters at South Hill. They have brought their machinery with them, and will commence operations as soon as the spring opens. Other wood-workins industries will fol-low.

Sentence Must Stand.

GLOUCESTER C. H., VA., January GLOUCESTER C. H., VA., January I.—
The court this morning overruled the motion made by Attorney Stubbs for the defense in Oliver-Wright stial here for a new trial for the prisoner, on the plea that the verdict was contrary to the law and the evidence.

Judge Garnett declared the trial had been fair, and sala if the verdict had been for hanging he would not have granted a new trial.

Dr. Drewry Here.

Dr. and Mrs. S. D. Drewry, of Mineola, are at Murphy's Hetel They returned recently from a stay at Old Point, whither they went on account of Dr. Drewry's health, which has not been good of late.

SKIN CHAPPING PREVENTED By Cuticura Soap, purest and sweetest of emoillents.—Adv. Bargains to be Picked Up in Books and Stationery. The Camed Series cloth bound Books were 15c., now 10c. each.

All 25c. cloth bound Books now Calendars, less than half price.

39c. and 50c. Box Papers now

Five volume Sets now 50c.

had in town.

Wiltons, 215x12 feet, \$0.50, were \$12.50.

2x12 feet, \$12.00, were \$15.00.

6x2 feet, \$20.00, were \$25.00.

9x12 feet, \$21.00, were \$27.50.

9x12 feet, \$30.00, were \$37.50.

1x12 feet, \$12.50, were \$40.00.

8x12 feet, \$40.00, were \$40.00.

8x12 feet, \$40, \$49 and \$55, were \$59.

Axminsters, 27x58 inches, \$1.98.
30x72 inches, \$1.25.
8x12 feet, \$19.25, were \$25.00.
8x12 feet, \$22.50, were \$27.50.
8x12 feet, \$40.00, were \$35.00.
9x12 feet, \$40.00, were \$30 and \$75.

Body Brussels, 0x12 feet, \$27.50, were \$30.00.

word \$20.00.

That Doorway Will

Look Better with

No doubt you think so also, but-the cost? Not so much.

Of course you can get Cur-

tains at any price you wish to

\$4.50, \$5.00 and \$5.50 pair.

There are some beauties at

Ottoman Repps or Tapestries,

3 yards long, some with heavy trellis fringe, others with velour

or tapestry appliqued borders. These Curtains are always satis-

factory. Take your choice from

in the January Sale.

a large variety of colorings.

Realistic Sofa Pillows

THIRD FLOOR.

Remember those odd designs in Pil-

low Tops we had some months ago?

In addition to being lithographed

there were various articles sewed on

the different designs, giving them n

realistle effect, such as buttons on a

boy's trousers or fur for a cat's back.

Imported Hand-Painted

This China should have arrived in

came last week. Nothing to do now

but take one-fourth off the price.

The painting is especially beautiful-

all done by hand-each artist being

careful to give himself due credit by

painting his name on the articles he

Salad Bowls, \$1.50 ench.

Bread Trays, \$2.25 each.

Chocolate Pots, \$2.25 ench.

Plates to match each other, \$10,00

Fruit Saucers to match \$5.50 dozen

We have some Imported China Din-ner Sets of 102 pieces, decorated and gold traced, worth \$19 each; our price

Salad Bowls.

Cake Plates.

Cracker Jars, Comb and Brush Trays,

October for the holiday trade.

Under Its Value.

The Cushion complete is now but

Smyrnas, 8x12 feet, \$8.50, were \$12.00. \$ feet 3 inches by 10 feet 6 inches, \$16.50,

New Portieres.

Willer & Rhoads

Special Sales for the Second Week of January

We're looking ahead toward Spring, though it's three months away. Looking ahead means to buy in the near future -, but winter stuffs must be cleared up first. Will you take advantage of these price opportunities?

Smyrnas, 0x12 feet, \$18.75, \$20, \$25 and \$52.50, all special values.

clude making, laying and lining.

Tapestry Brussels.

An Unequalled Stock of Blankets.

full size, soft and nice to the touch; Red, Blue and Pink bor-

We have splendid White Cotton Fleece Blankets, 98c pair

Two especially good values, \$1.25 and \$1.50.
Our stock of Wool Blankets is particularly good in quality and varied assortment—\$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.25, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.50 and up to \$12.98

We are presenting this week a selection of Silks and Woolen

We know of nothing in the market to equal these fabrics

Goods for immediate wear, that, combine beauty, service and

The Blankets at \$5.00 and \$6.50 are values beyond the ordinary.

Crib Blankets in an almost endless variety— Cotton—57e., 75e., 89e. pair. Wool—\$1.50, \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.75, \$4.50 pair.

Desirable Materials

low prices.

brown.

ered.

at our prices.

latest spring designs.

Dress Goods.

All-Wool Cheviots, 44e, yard, 36 inches wide, in black, navy and

Figured Challies, 35c, yard, in the

All-Wool Albatross, 39e, yard, in a full line of shades, including black, oream, two browns, three reds, pink, Nile, reseda, violet and royal.

Mohair Sicilians, 50c. yard, brown, mvy, royal and black.

Embroidered and Hemstitched

They Make Nice Bridal Presents.

One top Sheet and two Pillow Cases to

Hemstitched, drawn-work and embroid-

\$1.59 to \$5.00 per set. Splendid values.

Each set put up in a separate box.

Bargain, 50c Yard.

A bargain it is, too, in every par-

500 yards of Blenched Table Damask

arrived last week. 70 inches wide, ex-

tra good quality, new and pretty pat-terns, similar to the \$1.25 and \$1.50 styles; our special price 50c, yard,

Sheet and Pillow Case Sets.

The Carpet values to be offered this week are equally as good as the Druggets. Remember that our quoted prices in-

59c., 75c., S5c. and 95c. yard for good qualities

85c., \$1, \$1.15 for the best makes of ten-wire

85c., \$1, \$1,25 yard for Velvet Carpets; fine selection.

\$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50 yard for the best Axminsters

For a New Gown.

Embroideries at Special Prices

10c 15c 25c 39c 50c Yard.

No Such Values for the Prices Ever Shown Before in Richmond.

We've made many remarkable offers in Embroideries during the past few years, but nothing in this line has ever equalled the opportunity now pre-

People that supplied themselves during the past week know full well the great values ceived.

If the incloment weather kept you in dcors—by all means supply your present needs d anticipate your coming ones by purchasing now.

Swiss, Nainsook, Dimity and Cambric Edges and Insertings, from 2 to Made on the finest cloth, with deep embroidery, the latter running up to

The prices, 10c, 15c, 25c, 39c and 50c per yard, represent about one-half the value of the Embroideries.

Who Wants a Drugget at a Reduced Price?

ings this week from among our stock of DRUGGETS AT REDUCED PRICES.

All new patterns and each new Drugget was very reasonably priced to start the season with

Many a Richmond home can be tastefully and economically furnished with Floor Cover-

At the present prices they're far and away the biggest bargains in Floor Coverings to be

5c Yard for 10c and 122c Outings

Not remnants-but full pieces, in this season's best qualities and patterns of dark Outings-our regular stocks marked at half and less than half price for this mid-winter sale.

Every yard of this stock has been gone over and a general reduction in prices made to clear up all the short lengths and remnants within the next day or so.

To add to the force of the sale, these splendid qualities of full-piece Outings have been reduced to such low figures that by to-morrow night there houldn't be a yard of them left in the house.

Think of it! 10c and 124c OUTINGS, 5c yard.

Short pieces of dark Outlags, 4e. yard. 1256; and 15c, Wrapper Flannels, 10c, yard, new styles.

15c. Flannelettes, 10c, yard-new, styles. White Flannels and Elderdowns, 25 per cent. under price.

Unusually Good Values in Night Gowns. 98c \$1.25 75c

We don't believe a Night Gown can be properly made of, honest materials to sell for less than 50c that will give satisfaction to the wearer and a fair profit to the seller.

Possibly in inidsummer, Gowns of very thin material can be sold for a little less. Believing that low price Gowns should have all their worth put into material and make-up, we've secured the best values on the market to-day at 50c., 75c., 99c., and \$1.25.

Each Gown is 60 inches long, cut very wide, buttons sewed on securely, button-holes properly worked and the maximum amount of good trimming that can be put on a Gown to sell at these prices.



The 50c. Gown is made of good cotton, high neck, with a yoke of tucks and embroidery insertion, beading with ribbon wrawn through; torchon ruffle neck and sleeves

Two styles of Cotton Gowns, 75c, each. One high neck with a fine tucked yoke, blind embroidery on neck and sleeves. The second style has V neck with blind embroid-

bric-the one shown in the illustration to the right being a Chemise Gown with a narrow yoke of blind embroidery, ribbon bow at neck and a ruffle of embroidery neck and

band of blind embroidery around the neck; organdio hand with ribbon drawn through; new patterns of em-



New Walking Skirts by Express.

\$2,08 for good Melton Skirts in brown blue and blach; in verted foot plaif with straps. Every skirt carries a tag with it guaranteeing that the garment has been thoroughly sponged and shrunk. \$3.98 would not be too much for a skirt like this; our price, however, is \$2.08.

Plaid Silks, 75c., \$1, \$1, 25; in the fashionable shades for shirt-walsts.

Peau de Cygne, 50c., yard, 19 inches wide, soft and lustrous, in both street and eyening shades.

Crepe de Chines, 59c., yard, 23 inches wide, in fifteen different shades.

Corean Silks, 69c., yard, 32 inches wide, in all the most desirable evening shades.

One-Seam-O Crepe, \$1.50 yard, 44 85.00 for All-Wool Cheviot Skirts, in blue, black and brown; platted bottom with three narrow tall-ored straps down each seam; finished with tabs and buttons. How much excess value you're getting in this skirt at #5 can be determined by comparing he determined by comparing it with skirts elsewhere at the One-Seam-O Crepe, \$1.50 yard, 54 inches wide; in all of the most desirable shades.

\$6.08 for All-Wool Light Weight Panne Cheviot Skirts; high

Imported Linens for Waists and Suits, 25c and 39c Yard.

We placed heavy import orders for the coming season's trade in White Linens for Suits and Waists. The advance guard of

. All pure linen, 36 inches wide, right weight and finish for waists.....likewise the right prices at 25c.

Waistings came in last week.

and one, yard,

Special Prices on Towels

25c AND 31c. TURKISH TOWELS,
18c, EACH.

Bleached or unbleached, hemmed or fringed. Subject to slight imperfections that nobody but the manufacturer pays much attention to—a little stain occasionally or something of that sort. Two-binles full 25c, and 21c analities, 18c, each. \$2.25 per dozen.

kilted, narrow tailored strap seams; tailored in the neatest manner and a skirt that you'd pick out anywhere as worth \$8. Blue, black and brown.

for a Fine Silk Waist. Made by a first-class tailor;

trim and neat in appearance, stitched back and front, full sleeve, with a stitched cuff. The silk in it is of unusu-

ally good quality taffeta.

Every garment new-\$3.98

Women's Underwear For This Changeable Weather

Protect yourself and avoid colds. Union Suits are the ideal garments. You can get thom in heavy fleecelined cotton for only 50c. Better ones for #1; Jersey Ribbed Wool Sults, #1.50.

separate Vests and Pants, heavy fleeced cotton, 25c. cach. Fine Egyptian Cotton Vests and

Pants, trimmed with silk, 50e, gar-

We have some very good values in

Part Wool Vests and Pants, Jersey ribbed, warm, comfortable and cheap, 75e, garment.

A CONFERENCE ON JAMES RIVER WATER

Scientists Disagree as to the Pollution From Pulp

Mills.

made out, and the session will last but a few moments. Hon, Henry St. George Tucker, one of the electors at large, will likely be chairman, and Mr. J. C. Hankins is a candidate for messenger to bear the returns to Washington, and will likely be chosen without, opposition. The electors make out and sign three cerificates. One will be deposited with Judge Waddill, or the United States District Court; another malled to the president of the Senate, and those from the several districts and those from the several districts in the order named are; Leslie C. Garrant, St. Hoorge Tickor and W. & Barkstulle, and those from the several districts in the order named are; Leslie C. Garrant, W. Bolen, Don. P. Halsey, George B. Kenzel, C. C. Corbin, W. F. Rhea and W. Kinkle Alleu.

Richmond, Take Notice.

Cemmunities desiring libraries should

GRIP COLDS

Laxative Bromo Quinine, the world wide Cold and Grip remedy, removes the cause, call for the full mane and look for rignature of E. W. Grove. 25c.—24v.

V.P.I. REFUSE TO TAKE TINSLEY BACK

\$1.08 each

President of the Junior Class Declares He Was Un-

fairly Treated. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
RADFORD, VA., January 7,--Mr. Ro

bert Bruce Thisley, president of the junior class of V. 9. I. has been re-fused readmission to the matitute, the faculty "not deeming it mivisable," owing to the prominent part taken by Mr. Tins-ley-so runs the letter of the faculty-vin the recent act of insubordination and rebellion of the junior class of the in-

Mr. Tinsley claims that he has been treated unjustly by the faculty. He says that he stood out against leaving school

till the last, and did everything in his power that was honorable to reconcile the class to the faculty, He says that he merely voiced the wishes and commands of the class.

Bleached Damask

Mr. Tinsley thinks that few members of the class will go back, in view of the fact that several prominent members of the class failed to get reinstated, and the class is pledged to stand together.

Before leaving school, the class drew up resolutions that none would go back unless all who sought reinstatement were

be much missed in business, social and frateralty circles. Mr. Cassell, as past grandmaster of the Odd-Fellows of Vir-glain, is widely known, and universally popular throughout the Sinte. He is also a shrewd business man, and his success in his new field of labor is assured.

21c qualities, 18c, each.

LETTER TO HARRIS HARDWARE CO. Dear Sir; The Trusters of Fair Graund, Coldeskill, N. Y., were glad to pay 15-cents a gallon more for Devec; and no wonder. Two other paint agents said it would take 150 gallons of their paint to-cover the buildings, Our agent put it at 125 or less. It look 1 15.

admitted, and about fifty juniors have written Mr. Tinsley referrating their former resolution.

The situation appears to be far from a peaceful settlement.

Mr. J. Frank Cassell, of the hardware firm of Cassell & Pryor, has sold his interest in the business in order to accept a very flattering offer from the Belknap Hardware Company, of Louisville, Ky.

Mr. Cassell is one of the most useful members of the City Council, and will

ELECTORS TO MEET HERE TO-MORROW

Work Will be Largely Formal. Mr. J. G. Hankins Likely to be Messenger.

The presidential electors chosen in Viri ginia at the recent election will meet in the clerk's office of the House of Delede line clerk's office of the Holpse of Diese grates. If the bassement of the Powhatan Hotel, at 12 o'clock to-morrow to cast the yole of the State for Parker and Davis for President and Vice-President, respectively, and to forward the returns to Washington, according to law.

The body will choose a chairman and secretary, and will proceed at once if the returns to the rather formal task set for them. At the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth all the papers have been Kansas City Star.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch) NORFOLK, VA., Jun. 7.—The United States orulser Newark, the court defense monitor Nevada, and the converted gunboat Scorpion, left here to-day for Hampton Roads to join the great flost assembling there. Secretary-of-the-Navy Paul Morton, Admiral Dewey and other

distinguished officers will arrive on Monday morning to review the float.

There will be about fairty warship of all classes in the review, which will be held Monday morning,

Largest Squadron Since the

Cuban War Assembles

There.

ADMIRAL DEWEY COMING

Review Will be Held Monday

Morning, After Which They

Will Sail for Carribean Sca.

DEWEY COMING.

Dispatch Boat Dolphin Brings Distinguished Party to Review.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 7.—The
dispatch boat Dolphin will sail from the
Washington may yard at noon to morrow
with the distinguished party bound for
Hampton Roads for the purpose of reviewing the vessels of the North Athentic fleet next Monday, preparatory to
their participation in the naval minocuvres in the Carribean later in the winter. The party will include Secretary
Morton, Admiral Dewey, Captain Swift,
of the General Board: Captain Pilisburynasistant chief of the Burean of Navigation, and Lieutenant-Commanders F. L.
Chapin and Spencer S. Wood.

The following is a list of the vessels
which will participate in the review;
Battleship squadron—Kearsarge, Ingship;
Kentucky, Alabama, Missouri, Illinois,
Iowa and probably the Massachusetts.
Cruiser squadron—Newark, Jagship, Tacoma, Denver and probably the Chattathoogs. Coast squadron—Texas, flagship;
Florida, Arkansas and Novada, Torpedo
flottlia—Whippie, Stewart, MacDonough
and Worden.

SCHOOL BUILDING BURNS. Main Hall of Female Industrial

School Is Destroyed.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

GLOUCESTER C. H., VA., Jan. J.Richmond Hall, of the Cappaboosic Colored Industrial School, Gloucester, burned about 2.A. M. to-day. The fire originated in the kitchen of the thistitute, and when discovered was beyond control. The principal, W. D. Price, and family, the female teachers and about fifty girls had their quarters in this building. The school was established about sixteen years ago, and Richmond Hall was the first building erected. The school numbers about ninety boarders this year. Douglass Hall and the various industrial buildings escaped the fire.

This school is doing a good work in behalf of the colored youths. Such was the enterprise of Professor Price that its school was resumed at 10.A. M. to-day, only being one hour into. All the contents of the building except the piano were lost. The burnt infilling was insured. School, Is Destroyed.

OLD MAIDS HAPPIER THAN OLD BACHELORS

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

191.BA, VA., Jan. 7.—Resolved. That the bachelor man is happler than the bachelor middle to the value of the Young People's Literary Society stits last meeting. The subject and the fact that representatives of both sexes would discuss it attracted a large attendance. The negative won.

Fredericksburg Notes

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FREDERICKSBURG. VA., Jan. 1.—

The Fredericksburg Spoke Works, of this city, one of the most important enterprises here, has deplared a divident of six par cent, and elected the following officers: S. W. Somerville, president; Dr. J. W. Rosebro, vice-president; A. P. Thornton, secretary and treasurer; George H. Morrison, general manager.

The large barn of Mr. W. O. Shunatt, in lower Fainquier county, was destroyed by fire one night this week. Four cowed two calves and corn were also consumed. Partly insured.

Clearing-House Averages.

(By Associated Fress.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—The statement of averages of the clearing house banks of this city for the five days of this week

11.279,875. Surplus, \$11.608,250; decrease, \$2,075,175. Fix-United States Deposits, \$17,308,050; do-grease, \$2,120,425.